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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MASASHI HASHIMOTO ET AL.

Application No.: 10/583,770

Filed: June 21, 2006

For: COMPOUND AND ORGANIC
ELECTROLUMINESCENT
DEVICE USING SAME

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed foreign documents and articles are also enclosed, as well as a copy of the International Search Report and Written Opinion for the present PCT application.

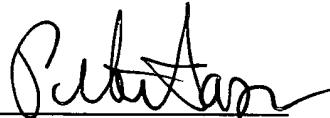
The concise explanation of relevance for the non-English documents are found in the attached abstracts and/or in the corresponding English language patent documents.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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